

Evening Summary

Date/Time Stamp: **Thursday, July 09, 2015 - 7:25 PM**

Weather Summary

No significant fire weather impacts are expected into early next week.

A broad area of low pressure over central CA/western NV will move slowly east-northeast across the Great Basin through this weekend. Below normal temperatures, in some areas 10-12 degrees below normal and wet thunderstorms are expected in most areas today. However, deeper moisture will also move north into southwest and western ID through Saturday. The heaviest areas of wetting rains today are expected in the Sierra and into western/northwest NV and into parts of southeast UT. Some storms will be strong with flash flooding and gusty outflow winds the main threat in these areas.

Dry and breezy south-southwest flow will move into the southern half of NV/UT and the AZ Strip by Friday, and across most of NV/UT by Saturday, with the exception of some isolated thunderstorms still over western/northwest NV on Saturday. Increased wind speeds are also expected from south to north across NV/UT through this weekend as the low moves inland with S-SW wind gusts 20-30 mph at times and RH dropping to 10-15% in some areas of NV/UT.

Moisture will be quick to return to southern and eastern UT on Sunday, and spread north and west over much of the eastern half of NV, ID, UT and WY. Southern ID may dry out temporarily from this weekend through Monday, however moisture will return by Tuesday.

Preparedness Levels

Current:

Great Basin	2
National	3

Fire Activity Summary

Great Basin Fire Activity: 7/9/15

New Fires and Acres: 33 / 203 acres

Current Incident Details

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Discovery	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Sage Grouse Habitat
BARRY	2015-IDBOD-000560	200	07/09/2015	Not Contained	43.0825	115.2159	Yes PPH
CURTIS	2015-IDBOF-000559	0.1	07/09/2015	Contained 07/09/15	44.6011	115.7555	No
FLAT ROCK	2015-UTUOA-000097	0.1	07/09/2015	Controlled 07/09/15	39.5478	109.6323	Yes PPH
HORSEHEAD	2015-IDBOD-000565	0.1	07/09/2015	Not Contained	42.4997	116.9792	No
Juniper	2015-NVWID-020106	0.1	07/09/2015	Not Contained	41.0168	118.5669	No
PETERSON	2015-UTASF-000096	0.1	07/09/2015	Not Contained	40.5276	110.5861	No
Lee	2015-NVENA-010408	0.1	07/09/2015	Not Contained	40.593	115.6472	Yes PPH
MILE MARKER13	2015-NVSND-050091	0.1	07/09/2015	Not Contained	36.2844	115.4444	No
NUTTERS RIDGE	2015-UTUOA-000098	0.1	07/09/2015	Not Contained	40.0508	110.3103	No



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Large Fire Summary:

Washington NV-HTF-030251; 17790 acres. Transitioning to T4 IC on 7/10/15 with the local unit. No issues.

Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

Large fire potential will continue to remain low in most areas this week as moisture spreads further north across the Great Basin bringing more wet thunderstorms. Elevated Initial Attack is expected to continue especially in the higher elevations with the continued lightning activity.

Drier air and breezy winds will move into the NV/UT from later this week into the weekend, however moisture will quickly return to UT Sunday into next week and may overspread the eastern 2/3 of the Great Basin again by the middle of next week lowering fire potential, but will likely remain dry across western/northwest NV.

For more detail, see [Great Basin 7-Day Fire Potential Outlook](#)

Resources:

Resources remain adequate.

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)